

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 8, line 21, and continuing until page 9, line 10, with the following replacement paragraph:

-- In some instances it may be desirable not to provide light source 20 below playing surface 10. As shown in FIG. 5, playing surface 10 may be coated with a light reflective material 50, such as a mirrored surface or a bike reflector material (which reflective materials are generally known in the art and will not be further explained herein), that simulates the effect of light being transmitted through most of playing field 10. In particular, conventional overhead lights ~~52~~ 53, specifically designed overhead lights, natural sunlight, moonlight, or lights emanating from sidewalls 18 as described above ~~9~~all shown generically as reference number ~~52~~ 53), would shine light as shown by arrow A to be reflected off reflective material 50 as shown by arrow B causing a similar lighting effect over playing surface 10. Further, reflective material 50 could have patterns of reflective and non-reflective surfaces to make special designs. For example, the majority of playing surface 10 could be coated with reflective material 50 and non-reflective material 52 (shown in phantom) could be placed to shown respective goalie boxes or the like. Alternatively, for example, the reflective material could be used for field trim. Designs could also be implemented by having different levels of reflectivity in material 50 over the course of playing surface 10. Of course, other designs are possible. For example, portions of playing surface 10 may be comprises of light transmissive surface similar to playing surface 10 in FIG. 1 and portions may be comprised of a light reflective material causing alternative lighting effects. --